

Individually Strong, Collectively Stronger!



Reading			Year 3		
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Avoid Becoming a Roman Soldier:	Journey to the Centre of the Earth:	The First Drawing: The First Drawing:	There's a Pharaoh in My Bath:	Usain Bolt:	The Sheep-Pig:

Within the Year 3 curriculum, reading and writing are integrated so that children read texts and develop reading strategies which enable them to:

- Develop background knowledge linked to a context
- Extend and immerse the children in subject specific vocabulary
- Provide a purpose and meaning for writing

This is achieved through the teaching of reading objectives across a year, which are differentiated through teaching texts which become progressively more difficult as children move throughout their school journey.

Word reading:

LI: To begin to develop their understanding of root words to support unfamiliar words and their meanings.

- LI: To develop familiarity with exception words within a text and read with some automaticity and fluency.
- LI: To identify unusual correspondences between spelling and sound in exception words they are reading.

Comprehension:

Developing positive attitudes to reading and understanding of what they read by: LI: To listen to and discuss a wide range of texts, increasing their familiarity with core texts (fairy stories in story time).



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LI: To develop an understanding of text purpose when reading.

- LI: To begin to develop an understanding of how to use a dictionary to check the meaning of a word.
- LI: To identify the main theme in a text.
- LI: To develop an ability to prepare and perform poems using expression.
- LI: To identify words and phrases that have an impact on the reader.
- LI: To recognise different forms of poetry.

Understand what they read, in books they can read independently, by:

- LI: To make predictions about events using information given to the reader.
- LI: To check the text makes sense to them considering word meaning.
- LI: To ask simple questions to develop text understanding.
- LI: To infer characters' thoughts and feelings from their actions.
- LI: To begin to identify words and phrases in a text that support their inferences.
- LI: To identify the main ideas across paragraphs within a text.
- LI: To identify how language choice can develop meaning within a text.
- LI: To retrieve and record information from non-fiction texts.
- LI: To participate in discussions about books, listening to the views of others.